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Title of Invention

: A METHOD AND AN APPARATUS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF

CONCRETE PIPES

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 1. X
- 2.__. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- This express request to begin national examination procedures [35 U.S.C. 371 (f)] at any time rather than delay examination 3. until the expiration of the applicable time limit set forth in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
- The U.S. has been elected (Article 31). 4.<u>X</u>
- 5.<u>X</u> A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]
 - a)__ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau)
 - b) X has been transmitted by the international Bureau
 - c) _ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)
- A translation of the International Application into English [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]
- Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)]
 - a) are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau)
 - b) X have been transmitted by the International Bureau
 - c) _ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d) have not been made and will not be made
- A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)]
- 9. X An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)]
- 10.__ A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)]

Items 11. to 17. below concern other document(s) or information included:

- 11. X An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98 (docs.)
- 12. X An Assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet (PTO-1595) in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 are included.
- 13. ___ A FIRST preliminary amendment
- 14. X An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76
- 15. __ THE APPLICANT AND/OR ASSIGNEE, IF ANY, HEREBY CLAIMS SMALL ENTITY STATUS.
- A power of attorney and/or change of address letter
- 17. X (other items or information) A clean copy of the application as amended; PCT Publication WO 2004/062867 A1, and amended claims copy; a substitute specification w/ a marked up copy

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service Express mail under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and if addressed to: Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner For Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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18. X The following fees are submitted:

BASIC NATIONAL FEE [37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)]: CAL	CULATIONS PTO USE ONLY
Basic National Fee\$300.00	
Examination fee:	
International preliminary examination report prepared by USPTO and all claims satisfied	
provisions of PCT Article33(1)-(4)\$100.00	
All other situations\$200.00	
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ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT:	\$ 1000.00
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Indep. Claims 1 -03= x \$ 200 =	\$ 360.00
X Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable) + \$360.00	
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS:	\$ 1360.00
Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 pages-\$250 for each additional 50 sheets of papers or fraction thereof.	\$0
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(e)]	\$0
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS:	\$1360.00
Reduction by ½ for filing by small entity, if applicable. [Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28]	\$
SUBTOTAL:	\$ 1360.00
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English Translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(f)]	
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE:	\$1360.00
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment [37 CFR 1.21(h)] The assignment must be accompanied by	
an appropriate cover sheet (PTO-1595) [37 CFR 3.28, 3.31]. \$ 40.00 per property +	\$40.00
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED:	\$1400.00
Amount to be refunded Amount to be charged	\$ \$

 \underline{X} A check in the amount of \$1400.00 to cover the above fees in enclosed.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the deposit account any other fees required with this submission or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No: 04-0838. A duplicate of this form is enclosed.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 36 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive [37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)] must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION

I hereby certify that the enclosed substitute specification contains the changes indicated in the enclosed marked-up copy of the original specification and abstract from the International Application, and that no new matter is included in the substitute specification and abstract.

Respectfully submitted,

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